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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2005. In the prosecution of the application identified above, please consider the following: